

### **Remarks**

The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the rejections and that the case pass to issue in light of the amendments above. Each of the previously pending independent claims are canceled and the dependent claims that depend therefrom are either canceled or amended to depend from the new independent claims. The Applicant submits the previous rejections are moot in light of the previously rejected independent claims being cancelled.

The Applicant respectfully submits that each rejection has been fully replied to and traverse and that the case is in condition to pass to issue. The Examiner is respectfully requested to pass the case to issue and is invited to contact the undersigned if it would further prosecution of the case to issue.

Please charge the amount of \$120.00 to cover the Petition fee and any additional fees or credit any overpayments as a result of the filing of this paper to our Deposit Account No. 02-3978.

Respectfully submitted,

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